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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER: The Volga Tribune		2. DATE OF FILING: 9-24-99
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY: 52	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE: 23.84 / 28.35
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5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printer): 207 Hasan Ave Volga SD 57071		
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: Christopher J Schumacher		
7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.	FULL NAME	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS
	RFD News Group Inc	207 Hasan Ave Volga SD 57071
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A. TOTAL NO. COPIES (Net Press Run)	800	800
B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION 1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales	155	155
2. Mail Subscription (Paid and or requested)	522	522
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 10B1 and 10B2)	677	677
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G. TOTAL (Sum of E, F1 and 2 -- should equal net press run shown in A)	800	800

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SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF PUBLISHER, BUSINESS MANAGER OR OWNER: C J Schumacher

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Sworn to before me this 24th day of September, 1999

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